

CLAIM LISTING

We claim:

1. (Currently Amended) A cable supporting and guiding device comprising a chain, a cable disposed along said chain[[,]] and a support, said support intersects said chain and supports said cable disposed in said chain, wherein said support is comprised of an elastomer containing a rubber and a thermoplastic elastomer and has a connecting portion fixed to said chain and a supporting portion held by said connecting portion which supports said cable, said supporting portion having a cable penetration hole formed so that a plurality of tongue portions formed of radial slits ~~said support is~~ are flexed in the longitudinal direction of said cable in a deformable manner.

2. (Cancelled)